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FOLLOWING REPEAT PRAGUE 1229 ACTION SECSTATE USIA BELGRADE  
MAY 12.

QUOTE C O N F I D E N T I A L PRAGUE 1229

USIA FOR IEU; BELGRADE FOR DPAO

E.O. 11652:GDS

TAGS: PINT, PFOR, PINS, SHUM, US, CZ

SUBJECT: TV PROGRAM ON AMERICAN EMBASSY'S ALLEGED ESPIONAGE  
ACTIVITIES

HEALTH MINISTER REPORTEDLY WILL ATTACK U.S. ROLE IN WHO

1. THE REPORTED CZECH TV PROGRAM ON THE AMERICAN EMBASSY'S  
ALLEGED ESPIONAGE ROLE IN THE MID-YPS WILL BE SHOWN DURING MAY, AND  
NOT IN LATE APRIL, AS ORIGINALLY PLANNED, A CZECH RADIO SOURCE HAS  
TOLD THE PAO. SAID MINISTRY OF INTERIOR VISUAL PRODUCTIONS ALSO  
PLAN SCREENING OF TWO-PART FILM ON JOSEF GROHMAN FORMER STUDENT  
LEADER, SOON TO BE TRIED FOR ESPIONAGE WHILE WORKING FOR UNESCO IN  
FRANCE, PLUS SOME OTHER AGITPROP FEATURE DOCUMENTARIES.

2. SOURCE CORROBORATED WIDELY CIRCULATING RUMOR THAT FORMER  
PARTY SECRETARY ZDENEK MYLNAR PLANS TO LEAVE FOR EXILE IN AUSTRIA  
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THIS JUNE, ALONG WITH SEVEN OTHER CHARTER 77 SIGNERS.

3. ANOTHER CZECH RADIO EMPLOYEE SAID APRIL 19 POTBOILER ON  
MILITARY ESPIONAGE ROLE OF MFORMER PAO IN CESKE BUDEJOVICE IN  
MID-60S WAS PART OF MINISTRY OF INTERIOR PROPAGANDA CAMPAIGN  
"NOW ENDED" TO LINK CHARTER 77 SIGNERS WITH WESTERN SOURCES  
(PRAGUE 1079).

4. PAO'S TENNIS PARTNER, CZECH PSYCHIATRIST AT MINISTRY OF HEALTH , NOTED THAT HEALTH MINISTER DR. JAROSLAV PROLOPEC WHO WILL GIVE SPEECH AT WHO LATER THIS MONTH, ACCUSING USA OF BUYING OUT THIRD WORLD HEALTH AND MEDICAL LEADERS THROUGH GRANTS WITH BUDGET THREE TIME IN EXCESS OF US DIRECT CONTRIBUTION TO WHO.  
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